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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15318.

Land Office at Oberlin, Kans., April 23d, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court of Thomas county, Kansas, at Colby, Kansas, on June 15, 1899, viz:
JACOB H. LOCKE, for the NW 1/4, sec. 19, town 6 S, range 34 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Samuel T. Darrough, James A. Horner, James H. Lewis, John B. Richardson, all of Copeland, Kansas.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15319.

Land Office at Oberlin, Kans., April 23d, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court of Thomas county, Kansas, at Colby, Kansas, on June 15th, 1899, viz:
H. E. No. 139, for the NW 1/4, sec. 19, town 6 S, range 34 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Samuel T. Darrough, James A. Horner, James H. Lewis, John B. Richardson, all of Copeland, Kansas.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15317.

Land Office at Oberlin, Kans., April 19, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court of Thomas county, Kansas, at Colby, Kansas, on June 21st, 1899, viz:
CHAS. L. D. HARRIS, for the NW 1/4, sec. 19, town 6 S, range 34 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William Kister, J. B. C. Knudson, H. T. Knudson, F. S. See, all of Deland, P. O., Kansas.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15320.

Land Office at Oberlin, Kans., April 23d, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court of Thomas county, Kansas, at Colby, Kansas, on June 15th, 1899, viz:
JAMES A. HORN, for the NW 1/4, sec. 19, town 6 S, range 34 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Jacob H. Locke, of Copeland, Kansas; John B. Richardson, of Copeland, Kansas; James H. Lewis, of Copeland, Kansas; Bertie L. Lewis, of Copeland, Kansas.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15349.

Land Office at Oberlin, Kans., April 19, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court of Thomas county, Kansas, at Colby, Kansas, on June 21st, 1899, viz:
JOHN W. FOSTER, for the NW 1/4, sec. 19, town 6 S, range 34 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William R. Neel, of Otterbourne, Kansas; Joseph Redmond, of Otterbourne, Kansas; Peter Ziegler, of Selto, Kansas; Lou Samuelson, of Genoa, Kansas.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15319.

Land Office at Oberlin, Kans., April 12, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court of Thomas county, Kansas, at Colby, Kansas, on June 21st, 1899, viz:
WILLIAM L. MORSE, for the NW 1/4, sec. 19, town 6 S, range 34 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Jeremiah Barlow, Thomas Murphy, J. V. Davis, J. W. Barry, all of Colby, Kansas.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15335.

Land Office at Oberlin, Kans., April 23d, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court of Thomas county, Kansas, at Colby, Kansas, on June 15th, 1899, viz:
ISAM. W. GARNICK, for the NW 1/4, sec. 19, town 6 S, range 34 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William V. Tuttle, of Menio, Kansas; William A. Dougherty, John Houston, W. C. Mitchell, all of Genoa, Kansas.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15335.

Land Office at Oberlin, Kans., April 23d, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court of Thomas county, Kansas, at Colby, Kansas, on June 15th, 1899, viz:
ISAM. W. GARNICK, for the NW 1/4, sec. 19, town 6 S, range 34 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William V. Tuttle, of Menio, Kansas; William A. Dougherty, John Houston, W. C. Mitchell, all of Genoa, Kansas.
FRANK BACON, Register.

Official County Directory.

Clerk—James M. Summers.
Treasurer—C. M. Hovey.
Register of Deeds—James C. Passell.
Sheriff—M. W. Witham.
Surveyor—T. P. Chambers.
Coroner—L. N. Hitchcock.
Com'r—First Dist.—W. H. Smith.
Second "—J. A. Senter.
Third "—W. M. Baldwin.
Probate Judge—J. E. Leach.
Superintendent Public Inst.—W. P. Sullivan.
Attorney—J. L. Lott.
Representative—James M. Stewardson.
Clerk District Court—Chas. Robbins.
District Judge—Chas. W. Smith.

City Directory

Mayor—T. P. Feehan.
Clerk—C. B. Dakin.
Treasurer—J. E. McGinnis.
Attorney—J. A. Gill.
Police Judge—J. A. McKillip.
Marshal—Wm. Doda.
Councilmen—H. C. Shimp.
G. W. Goodloe.
H. E. Weld.
J. B. Irwin.

Meteorological Record

For the month ending April 30, 1899, observed at Colby, Thomas County, Kansas.
Mean temperature at 7 a. m., 47.7.
Mean temperature at 2 p. m., 62.1.
Mean temperature at 9 p. m., 49.0.
Mean temperature of the month 50.7.
Mean temperature of April for 4 years 52.9.
Highest temperature 74.5.
Lowest temperature 24.5.
Range 57.
Warmest day 25th, mean 65.
Coolest day 29th, mean 35.3.
Rain fell on three days.
2 inches of wet snow fell on the 29th, which melted snow 1.50 inches, which is 1.52 inches less than the average during April for 4 years.
Frost occurred on the morning of the 30th, fog occurred on 4 days, and lightning on 5 days.
Direction of the wind tri-daily: N 18, S 16, E 3, W 4, NW 14, SW 13, NE 8, SE 14.
Force of wind tri-daily: calm 2, light 50, moderate 30, brisk 6, high 1.
Face of the sky tri-daily: clear 42, fair 9, cloudy 30.
There were 4 days entirely clear, and 4 days entirely cloudy.
Mean cloudiness 48 per cent.
CHAS. E. BENNETT,
Vol. Obs. S. S. U. S. A.

Quickville News.

We think our mossback prophet should issue his almanacs now, for it did rain—yes more than rain, it hailed and snowed. The ground has not been so thoroughly soaked for a year, and the prospect for a good crop is certainly very flattering. Winter wheat and rye is so far advanced that they will make a good crop if it never rains again.
People up here are rushing their work with a vengeance now, taking advantage of this nice weather to plant their corn.
If some of those choice "howlers" from the east would visit this part of the country now, and see the nice young timber as it looks now, we think they would change their minds in regard to growing timber in this great desert. All that it needs is careful planting and proper care to make it grow just as well here as anywhere else.
Misses Maggie Clark and Jennie Sturgeon Sunday at home, but returned to Colby on Monday.
Miss Ella Hutchinson of Brewster, was visiting her "mother" the latter part of the week. Some Oklahoma victims can be seen going west, weaker, but wiser.
One of the finest dances of the season took place at Mr. T. J. Rimbey's last Friday eve. The attendance was just large enough to have a good time, and was composed of some very nice people. "Prof. Bertie Lewis" orchestra furnished the music, which is in itself a guarantee that it was grand. After every one had tired of dancing, they were entertained by some fine vocal music, and all went home smiling and well pleased.
Mr. E. L. Melvin, one of Brewster's enterprising business men, made us a pleasant call Sunday—was looking after some property near this place—call again Mr. Melvin.
Base ball in our city next Saturday afternoon. Come everybody and get your fingers knocked out of place as soon as possible, so that they can get well before corn husking.
As it is nearing election time, we have gathered a few points from the high muck-muck and we believe every able bodied man in Barrett township is coming out for sheriff. Tom Sturgeon went to Colby Monday.
Will VanOrsdal went to Oberlin Wednesday.
ANDREW JACKSON.

Real Estate Transfers Since April 15

E A Hall and wife to A B Canfield, \$1500.00
Sr, lot 13 to 16 in Colby.
Copeland & VanPetten to Frederick Slickert lot 8 & 9 in Copeland & VanPetten add'n.
Chas E Corporan trustee, to C A Baker lot 8 & 9 in S 2 P add'n.
Gilmore & Larson to Della A Quisenberry lot 12 & 13 & 14 in G & L add'n.
Frederick Slickert to A G VanPetten lot 11 & 12.
Chas E Corporan trustee, to Mary Allen lot 11 & 12 and lot 14 & 15 S P add'n.
Chas E Corporan trustee, to J M Summers lot 17 & 18 and lot 19 & 20 S 4 P add'n.
Joseph LaMont and wife to Jennie E Weld lots 35 and 36 in Colby.
W A Bennett to Isaac W Crumly lots 19 and 20 & 7 & 8 interest in Colby.
N H Hall and husband to E A Ryder lots 6 & 7 & 8 in Colby.
Deulah Cemetery Ass'n to G A R lots 16 & 17 & 18 in Deulah Cem.
E A Hall and wife to First Baptist church of Colby lots 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 in Colby.
G P Clark to Rebecca A Clark sec 21 and sec 22 & 23.
E A Hall and wife to W H Copeland lot 16 & 17 in Colby.
James S Warren and wife to W H Copeland lots 17 & 18 & 19 "A" & 20 lot 14 & 15 & 16 in Colby.
Chas E Corporan trustee, to L E Countryman lot 8 & 9 S P annex.
James M Wollen and wife to H E Weld lot 6 & 7 in Colby.
William Morehead and wife to W H Copeland sec 19-24-34.
Frank J Leydig and wife to Eugene Patton sec 27-28-35.
Copeland & VanPetten to Sarah F Shackelford lots 12 & 13 & 14 & 15 & 16 in Copeland & VanPetten add'n.
John D McFarland to William Whitcomb sec 15-16-17 sec 21-22-23.
George W Croston to Henry Neidhuser sec 15-16-17.
E A Hall & wife to Marvin Niskern lots 11 & 12 & 13 & 14 in Colby.
United States to Lewis F Sims sec 24-25.
United States to Frank T Wood sec 15-16.
H W and wife to Lyman F Griffith lots 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 in V add'n.

L. L. FRENCH, Cashier.

STATE BANK OF COLBY.

COLBY, KANSAS.

Incorporated under the Laws of the State of Kansas.

CAPITAL STOCK, \$50,000.00. CAPITAL STOCK PAID IN \$26,000.00.

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Farm Loans Negotiated at Current Rates.

J S Mowrer to E A Hall sec 4 of sec 4 21-7-35. 400.00
George Arnt and wife to William F Wallison sec 26-7-35. 850.00
Chas E Corporan trustee, to William F Allison lot 15 & 16 S P add'n. 25.00
George A Simpson to Edward Pickard lot 20 & 21 in Gilmore & Ladd's 75.00

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NOTICE.
There will be a meeting held at the Pratt school house in Summers township Saturday, May the 11th, at 7 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of making arrangements to procure a site for a cemetery in and for the said township of Summers, Thomas county, Kansas.
(Signed) J. H. INGLE,
W. F. EVANS,
GEO. LONG,
WM. JENKINS,
D. H. HAMILTON.

I will be at Colby, Kans., at the Miller Livery Stable for the purpose of castrating horses and colts on the 21st day of May, 1899.
B. D. MORTON,
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Miss Lucy Dill has reopened a dress-making establishment in the building just south of J. B. Morrison & Son's store.
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NOTICE.
I will herd cattle at my place 10 miles south and 4 miles west of Colby, on sec. 20, T. 9, S. 34, W. 3, west, this season. A good supply of water always ready. Parties desiring cattle herded will do well to give me the job.
JOSEPH SIGMAN.

FREE CHAIR CAR, COLBY TO KANSAS CITY WITH ONE CHANGE.

The Union Pacific (the Overland Route) are now running an elegant reclining chair car from Colby to Kansas City with one change. Leaving Colby at 3:35 p. m. daily, arriving at Kansas City at 9:30 p. m., returning leave Kansas City at 9:30 p. m., arriving at Colby 1:25 p. m. For safety, speed and comfort take the old reliable for Kansas City and all parts east and west. 43-13W D. A. FULTS, Agent.

Notice of Appointment.

STATE OF KANSAS,
THOMAS COUNTY.
In the matter of the estate of George I. Lynde, late of Thomas County, Kansas.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.
Notice is hereby given, that on the 6th day of May A. D. 1899, the undersigned was by the probate court of Thomas County, Kansas, duly confirmed and qualified as Administrator of the estate of George I. Lynde late of Thomas County, Kansas, deceased. All parties interested in said estate will take notice and govern themselves accordingly.
E. VANMETRE, Executor.

Notice to Tax Payers.

The County Commissioners will meet as a board of Equalization on the 1st Monday in June. Any persons who think their property assessed too high, or have grievances of any kind to adjust in regard to the assessment, should see to it that their cause is laid before the board at this session. The board will probably be in session five or six days.
J. M. SUMMERS,
County Clerk.

BEST COUGH MEDICINE.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15157.

LAND OFFICE AT OBERLIN, KANS., April 1st, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the probate judge and ex-officio clerk of probate court, at Colby, Kansas, on May 27, 1899, viz:
JOHN KRAMER, for the NW 1/4, sec. 21, township 6 S, range 34 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: E. Lowry, of Copeland, Kansas; A. W. Lowry, of Copeland, Kansas; Oren Bailey, of Quickville, Kansas; J. W. Miller, of Quickville, Kansas.
Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15176.

LAND OFFICE AT OBERLIN, KANS., April 1st, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court of Thomas county, Kansas, at Colby, Kansas, on May 27th, 1899, viz:
JOHN F. DAVIS, for the NW 1/4, sec. 4, town 8 S, range 35 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: John F. Rastner, John P. Didott, Presley Pettit, D. B. Coppock, all of Levant P. O., Thomas county, Kansas.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15182.

LAND OFFICE AT OBERLIN, KANS., April 1st, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the probate judge and ex-officio clerk of probate court, at Colby, Kansas, on May 18th, 1899, viz:
GEORGE W. ROCKWELL, final homestead No. 3132, for the NW 1/4, sec. 13, town 9 S, range 34 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: A. Taylor, William Miller, Cooper Miller, Greeley Peterson, all of Colby, Thomas county, Kansas.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15254.

LAND OFFICE AT OBERLIN, KANS., April 1st, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court at Colby, Kansas, on May 27, 1899, viz:
PHILO WALSWORTH, for the NW 1/4, sec. 4, township 7, range 33.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Albert Coles, Wm. Johnson, Geo. C. Bondurant, W. B. Dutton, all of Colby, Kansas.
Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15194.

LAND OFFICE AT OBERLIN, KANS., April 1st, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the probate judge and ex-officio clerk of probate court, at Colby, Kans., on May 27, 1899, viz:
FRANCIS O'LEARY, final H. E. 755, for the SW 1/4 section 12, township 6 S, range 35.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: C. P. Towles, of Colby, Kansas; B. B. Youcum, of Levant, Kans.; Stephen Waters, of Levant, Kans.; C. N. Jerome, of Levant, Kans.
Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15257.

LAND OFFICE AT OBERLIN, KANS., April 23d, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Probate Judge, ex-officio clerk of probate court of Thomas county, Kansas, at Colby, Kans., on June 14, 1899, viz:
ELLEN GIBSON, GUARDIAN FOR CLARK GIBSON, (INSANE)
Homestead Entry No. 628, for the NW 1/4 of section 23, town 9 S, range 35 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Charles Wilson, Charles H. Ogilvie, Joseph E. Wilson, Robert Foster, all of Colby, Thomas County, Kansas.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15343.

LAND OFFICE AT OBERLIN, KANS., April 23d, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court of Thomas county, Kans., at Colby, Kansas, on June 21, 1899, viz:
COMMUTATION H. E. No. 1880 for the NW 1/4 sec 1, town 6 S, range 34 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: J. V. Morland, J. B. Daniels, Alonzo Ketchum, Levi Huntley, all of Otterbourne, Kans.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15343.

LAND OFFICE AT OBERLIN, KANS., April 23d, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the probate judge and ex-officio clerk of probate court, at Colby, Kansas, on May 27, 1899, viz:
JOHN W. TAYLOR, for the NW 1/4, sec. 10, township 6 S, range 35.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Robert S. Mallory, Geo. W. Elsey, G. C. Stout, William Parker, all of Colby, Kansas.
Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15314.

Land Office at Oberlin, Kansas, April 23d, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before clerk of district court of Thomas county, Kansas, at Colby, Kansas, on June 21, 1899, viz:
THOMAS J. ROGERS, for the NW 1/4, sec. 1, township 6 S, range 34 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Peter E. Trump, of Colby, Kans.; James T. Spicer, of Copeland, Kans.; Charles W. Young, of Colby, Kans.; Phillip Wagner, of Colby, Kans.
Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15193.

LAND OFFICE AT OBERLIN, KANS., April 23d, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court of Thomas county, Kansas, at Colby, Kansas, on June 21, 1899, viz:
SOLDIERS FINAL HOME, 5914 for the NW 1/4, sec. 34, town 8 S, range 35 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George M. Strain, A. B. Lindsey, H. H. Macble, William H. Mallory, all of Brewster, Kansas.
Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15286.

LAND OFFICE AT OBERLIN, KANS., April 1st, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court of Thomas county, at Colby, Kans., on May 31st, 1899, viz:
THOMAS L. MORLAND, for the NW 1/4, sec. 23, town 6 S, range 34 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: John W. Smith, L. W. Clark, Noah Mayer, G. C. Scott, all of Otterbourne, Kans.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15145.

LAND OFFICE AT OBERLIN, KANS., April 10, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before clerk of district court at Colby, Kansas, on May 31, 1899, viz:
HORACE D. HALL, for the NW 1/4, section 1, township 7, range 32.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Rufus Munkres, of Hextford, Kansas; Thos. Denham, of Genoa, Kans.; John Watts, of Genoa, Kans.; Evans W. Howard, of Genoa, Kans.
Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15192.

LAND OFFICE AT OBERLIN, KANS., April 1st, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court at Colby, Kansas, on May 23, 1899, viz:
GEORGE M. STRAIN, for the NW 1/4, sec. 28, tp. 9, range 35.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: J. W. Winchel, of Brewster, Kansas; Milton J. Guy, of Brewster, Kansas; W. T. Brooks, of Brewster, Kansas; W. C. Runshaw, of Brewster, Kansas.
Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15192.

LAND OFFICE AT OBERLIN, KANS., April 1st, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court at Colby, Kansas, on May 23, 1899, viz:
SOLDIERS FINAL H. E. 6170 for the NW 1/4, sec. 28, tp. 9, range 35.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: J. W. Winchel, of Brewster, Kansas; Milton J. Guy, of Brewster, Kansas; W. T. Brooks, of Brewster, Kansas; W. C. Runshaw, of Brewster, Kansas.
Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15192.

LAND OFFICE AT OBERLIN, KANS., April 1st, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the probate judge and ex-officio clerk of probate court, at Colby, Kansas, on May 31, 1899, viz:
JAMES W. CLERLAND, for the NW 1/4, sec. 19, township 6 S, range 35.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: G. W. Smith, L. W. Clark, Henry Smith, E. F. Smith, all of Otterbourne, Kansas.
Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.
FRANK BACON, Register.

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LAND OFFICE AT OBERLIN, KANS., April 1st, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the probate judge and ex-officio clerk of probate court, at Colby, Kansas, on May 31, 1899, viz:
JOHN W. TAYLOR, for the NW 1/4, sec. 10, township 6 S, range 35.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Robert S. Mallory, Geo. W. Elsey, G. C. Stout, William Parker, all of Colby, Kansas.
Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.
FRANK BACON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—15258.

LAND OFFICE AT OBERLIN, KANS., April 1st